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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/606,750

Applicants: Naohiro TODA, et al.

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For: ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTORECEPTOR,
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE
ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTORECEPTOR,
AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE
ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTORECEPTOR

Group Art Unit: 1756

Examiner: DOTE

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Respectfully submitted,

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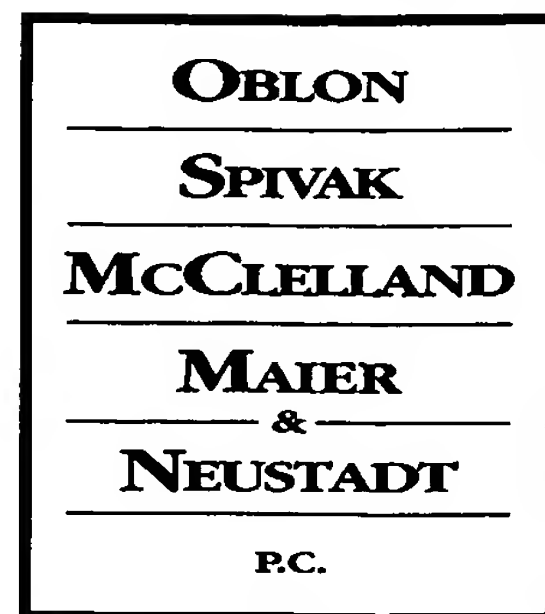
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RESPONSE TO NON-RESPONSE

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SIR:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR 1.121 dated March 6, 2006, Applicants submit herewith the "Amendments to the Claims" portion of the Amendment filed February 22, 2006. Applicants have corrected the identifier for Claim 1 to now read "Currently Amended". Applicants now respectfully request that the Examiner to reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks previously filed.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.